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Serial No.: 10/008,268

Group Art Unit: 2643

Title: **DYNAMIC RANGE COMPRESSION USING DIGITAL FREQUENCY WARPING**

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- ☒ Declaration [2] page(s)
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- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time. (_ months), [] page(s) Fee \$
- ☐ Applicant(s) claim Small Entity Status under 37 CFR § 1.27.
- ☒ Copy of Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated January 16, 2002.
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Having now complied with all of the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.53, applicant respectfully requests that this application be placed upon the files for examination.

Date: 2/8/02

Respectfully submitted,

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